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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.116

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In response to the Office Action of June 3, 2004, please amend the abovedesignated application, as follows:

For the Examiner's convenience, the amendment includes:

- 1. Amendment to the Claims at page 2
- 2. Remarks at page 15 and
- 3. Deposit Account Authorization at page 23.

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Dear Examiner Abel-Jalil:

Attached is a draft Amendment Under 37 CFR 1.116 for your review, prior to scheduling an Interview, in the above-identified application. This draft is in response to the Final Office Action of June 3, 2004.

I can be reached at (202) 857-8010 or email at <u>jredmond@morganfinnegan.com</u>. Thank you in advance for your consideration in regard to this application.

Very truly yours, Morgan & Finnegan, LLP Joseph C. Redmond, Jr.

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